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Phoenix – Goodyear Airport Area/Western Avenue Plume Community Advisory Group Meeting

Thursday, February 9, 2006 6:30 to 8:30 PM Goodyear City Hall, Room 117 190 N. Litchfield Road Goodyear, Arizona

MINUTES

<u>CAG members present</u>: Diane Krone, Susan Kagen, David Day, Dr. Fred Scott, Bob Smith, Sheri Michele Lauritano, and Thomas H. Jones Jr.

Members absent: Keith Longley

<u>ADEQ Staff in attendance:</u> Veronica Garcia, Outreach Unit Manager; Brian Stonebrink, new Project Manager; and Tammy Shreeve, Planning & Outreach Section Manager.

EPA Staff in attendance: Mary Aycock, RPM

Members of the public present: David Iwanski; Diane Burnett; Christine Romero; Kevin Murdock; Todd Stratman; Robert Mongrain; Ron Clark; Brenda Holland; Phil Whitmore; Darryl Henning; Annmarie Stilson; Stan & Cynthia Thompson.

The following matters were discussed, considered, and decided upon at the meeting:

1. Call to Order / Introduction

Veronica Garcia, ADEQ Community Outreach Supervisor, welcomed everyone and introduced Diane Krone, CAG Co-Chair, who facilitated the rest of the meeting. CAG members and all meeting attendees introduced themselves.

2. Acceptance and/or Changes to August 11, September 8, October 6, and October 19, 2005 Meeting Minutes

The minutes for these past meetings stand as corrected and accepted. It was agreed to move this action until after the break so that the site status updates could be presented earlier.

3. Discussion and Voting on Potential New CAG Member

Dr. Fred Scott made a motion to remove Mr. Keith Longley from the board and was seconded by Ms. Sheri Michele Lauritano. Ms. Diane Krone made a motion to nominate Mr. Matthew Garlick and was seconded by Mr. David Day. The board unanimously voted to accept his nomination. Mr. Garlick will replace Mr. Keith Longley as a CAG member.

4. PGA-North Site Update – presented by Robert Mongrain / ARCADIS

Information on current and on-going site investigations and remediation activities was presented. There was no increase in contaminant concentrations; little change in plume shape. Proposed work schedule for groundwater investigations was laid out. Concerned that abandoned wells could be a conduit for contaminants to move from upper to lower aquifers; investigation action is being undertaken.

5. PGA-South Site Update – presented by Ron Clark / Goodyear Tire & Rubber and Brian Stonebrink / ADEQ

Operational updates for Sub-unit A and Sub-unit C were presented and discussed. To accelerate clean-up activities, an additional extraction well (E-18) in Sub-unit A is planned for 2006. Follow-up action items from the Five Year Review were highlighted. Vapor intrusion is a new concern. ADEQ is interested in starting annual inspections.

6. City of Goodyear Report – presented by David Iwanski / City of Goodyear

It was noted that site information was shared between the City of Goodyear and ARCADIS; this provided more comprehensive information. The city has entered into a water delivery agreement with Goodyear Tire & Rubber. Appropriate uses for this remediated (non-potable) water include: non-edible crops; industrial cooling; construction sites; and landscape irrigation. The city is currently very involved in negotiating a Consent Decree with Crane Co. It is expected to be signed soon. The Consent Decree will have a public comment period.

7. Call to the Public

Positive comments were received: "... speakers are getting better; ... words well chosen and informative; ... this committee is getting things done; ... presentations are the main portion of the CAG meeting." Concerns were expressed about heavy metals contamination; these are being evaluated and appropriate action taken as needed. A concern was raised about the possible impact of any new wells on the groundwater supply; sentinel wells will determine location of new extraction wells.

8. Follow-up to Work Session

Continue to discuss and evaluate the development and dissemination of outreach materials to the community, for example: balanced message; audience; how to increase public attendance at CAG meetings; progress made on remediation activities.

9. Next Meeting Date and Agenda Discussion

Exact date for the next meeting was not set. Instead, it was recommended that it be scheduled for a Thursday evening to coincide with the next EPA site inspection. Co-chair elections will be included on the next agenda.

10. Adjournment

Ms. Diane Krone, CAG Co-Chair, adjourned the meeting at 8:00 p.m.